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### Mail Orders a Specialty

Finest bar and liquor store in the city. All the leading brands of Pure Rye and Bourbon Whiskeys for medicinal and family use at lowest prices. The only place in Clarksburg where you can buy Pure 12 Year Old Limestone Whiskey.

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Showing a splendid line of holiday Shoes, Slippers, Lamb's Soles, etc.

All out on long tables in shoe department for your inspection.

Xmas felt slipper for women \$1.00 to \$2.25  
---Misses slippers 50c to 75c.

Xmas slippers for men \$1.25 to \$2.00.

In your selection of shoes for Xmas include a pair of Sorosis for women "tested by long wear." \$3.50 and \$4.00.

PARSONS-SOUDERS CO.

224-226 MAIN STREET,  
CLARKSBURG.

### The Cause of Many

#### Sudden Deaths.

There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deep-seated. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidneys will attack the vital organs, causing catarrh of the bladder, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell. Bladder troubles almost always result from a derangement of the kidneys and are often the quickest by a proper treatment of the kidneys. If you are feeling badly you can make no mistake by taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often through the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases.

Swamp-Root is pleasant to take and is sold by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful new discovery and a book that tells all about it, both sent free by mail. Address, Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper. Don't make any mistake but remember the name Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.



Builders' Supplies.  
Lime, Plaster,  
Cement.

## G. M. WEST

Feed for Chickens.  
Hogs, Cows, Horses  
North Fifth St. Clarksburg, W. Va.

Everybody loves our baby, rosy, sweet and warm. With kissy places on her neck and dimples on her arms. Once she was so thin and cross, used to cry with pain—Mother gave her Cascasweet, now she's well again. Sold by all druggists.

Watch the Globe Clothing Store window for the 103 pieces of china and a china closet to be given away free.

SWEET MELODY FLOUR.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills afford quick relief for all forms of kidney and bladder trouble. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by all druggists.

Trial catarrh treatments are being mailed out free, on request, by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are proving to the people without a penny's cost, the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. Sold by all dealers.

DeWitt's Little Early Riser Pills are sold by all druggists.

SWEET MELODY FLOUR.

The finest Coffee Substitute ever made has recently been produced by Dr. Shoop, of Racine, Wis. You don't have to boil it twenty or thirty minutes. Made in a minute. Says the Doctor "Health Coffee" is really the closest Coffee Imitation ever yet produced. Not a grain of real coffee is in it either. Health Coffee Imitation is made from pure toasted cereals or grains, with malt, nuts, etc. Really it would fool an expert—were he to unknowingly drink it for coffee. All dealers.

SWEET MELODY FLOUR.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup causes a free yet gentle action of the bowels through which the cold is forced out of the system. Children like it. Contains no opiates nor narcotics. Sold by all druggists.

SWEET MELODY FLOUR.

Dr. Jackson will treat your sick animals. Charges reasonable. Home phone 270.

DeWitt's Carniolized Wild Hazel Salve. Get DeWitt's. Sold by all druggists.

### SANTA CLAUS LETTERS

(Continued from page two.)

Kinnaird. He is about 2 years old. He wants a pair of rubber boots. No. 8. He wants a teddy bear with a hat on his head. Don't forget mama and papa and my buddy, Elmer Jarbo. He wants a pair of high cuts, a pair of leggings and so do I. I am a little boy 10 years old. I live on High street, 409. I have 3 brothers and 2 sisters. Don't forget them.

Yours truly,  
HARRY KINNAIRD.

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please bring me a sled and a big doll that can go to sleep and a stocking cap and candy and nuts and a baby carriage.

Yours truly,  
CONSUELO DOUGHEY.  
764 West Pike street, City.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like to have a little wagon and a little automobile and a little story book and a new pair of shoes and some nuts and candy. Good-bye.

Yours truly,  
MALCOLM TAYLOR.

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please bring me a doll, a doll outfit, a teddy bear and lots of good things to eat.

HELEN JONES.  
160 Mechanic street.

P. S.—Please bring my baby brother a horn, a rattle, a bank, a little wagon, a pretty red ball, some candy and nuts and that's all.

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please bring me a broom, a teddy bear, a pocketbook, nice doll, a wash board, a picture book, some candy and nuts, a little fruit to eat. Good-bye.

VIRGINIA JONES.  
160 Mechanic street.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a Xmas tree and set of furs, a little dollie. I want the little dresser in Nushaum's window.

From your little friend,  
KATHERINE SWAGER.

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please bring me a drum, a pair of gloves, overcoat, leggings, underwear, shoes, over, drum, horn. My sister wants a pair of leggings and a hat. My brother wants a drum and a automobile that when you touch it it runs. My other brother a small horse, drum, horn, both brothers overcoat. Two sisters and two brothers. Don't forget them.

DUWAIN HELLAR.  
I live on Ben street, 454, City.

My Dear Friend Santa Claus:  
I saw in the paper that you were in Clarksburg and thought I would write and tell you what I would like to have for Christmas. I want a pair

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**\$100 REWARD, \$100.**  
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing her work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrh not cured by this medicine. Address: P. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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SWEET MELODY FLOUR.

A tickling cough, from any cause, is quickly stopped by Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. And it is so harmless and safe that Dr. Shoop tells mothers everywhere to give it without hesitation to even the youngest babies. The wholesome leaves and tender stems of healing mountainous shrub, the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. It calms the inflamed and sore and soothes the bronchial membranes. No no chloroform, nothing harsh to injure or suppress. Simplest of all plant extracts that heal aching lungs. The Shoop call this shrub which the Shoop uses, "The Sacred Herb." Dr. Shoop's, Take no other dealers.

A beautiful and well kept territory near the city. All lots in perpetual care. Think what means perpetual care. For information desired call 330 West St., the cemetery or 217 West St.

SWEET MELODY FLOUR.

It will be unnecessary for you to go through a painful, expensive operation for piles if you use Manzan. Put up in collapsible tube with nozzle, ready to apply to the soreness and inflammation. For any form of piles, price 25c, guaranteed. Sold by H. F. Burke.

SWEET MELODY FLOUR.

## This year we have reversed

The usual order of giving the big discount after the holiday season is over

## 10 Per Cent Cash Discount

On all purchases until January 1st. This not only on paper, but in reality. Come in and see for yourself



## BUY YOUR PRESENT NOW

We will place it in our warerooms and deliver Xmas Eve.



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## PALACE FURNITURE & PIANO CO.

219 Main Street, Clarksburg, W. Va.

## BEES LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP

CONTAINS HONEY AND TAR. CONFORMS TO NATIONAL PURE FOOD AND DRUGS LAW. An improvement over many Cough, Lung and Bronchial Remedies, because it cures the system of a cold by acting as a cathartic on the bowels. No opiates. Guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Prepared by PINEULE MEDICINE CO., CHICAGO, U. S. A.

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Best Companies.  
Most Reasonable Policies.  
Prompt Payment in cases of loss.  
Save the money you have invested in your home by having a policy written by

C. L. McCARTY

Union Bank Building,  
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## Rockaway OYSTERS

On The Half Shell at

## It is Only a Short Time Until

## CHRISTMAS

Better commence to buy now and the things we have are useful and also necessary for all.

### FOR MEN—

SHOES, \$2.00 to \$5.00. HOUSE SLIPPERS, \$1.75 to \$2.00; tan or black. BLACK OVER GAITERS, 50 and 75c. BAGS, \$5.00 to \$18.00. SUIT CASES, all prices. TRUNKS, \$5.00 to \$18.00. RUBBER ARTICLES, LEGGINGS, Canvas and Leather, all prices.

### FOR LADIES—

SHOES, \$2.00 to \$4.00. HOUSE SLIPPERS, \$1.00 to \$1.75. OVER GAITERS, all colors, 50c to \$1.00. HIGH-TOP JERSEY LEGGINGS. RUBBERS, all styles. TRUNKS. BAGS, all styles and prices.

### FOR BOYS AND GIRLS—

BUTTON AND LACE SHOES, in Pat. Vel Kid and Dull Leathers. HOUSE SLIPPERS, in Leather and Warm Felt. RUBBERS and LEGGINGS.

LEGGINGS for Children in Astrachan, Red, White, Black and Grey. Bear Skin in Gray, Brown, Red and White. KNIT LEGGINGS White, Black and Red.

LAMBS WOOL SOLES for Men, Women and Children, prices, 20, 25 and 35c.

One Price and a Square Deal to All.

Store open until 8 o'clock during December.

## DAVIS SHOE CO.

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Clarksburg, W. Va.

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In the city, including Plain, Hemstitched, Embroidered and Lace of the finest quality.

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Week, Early in December.